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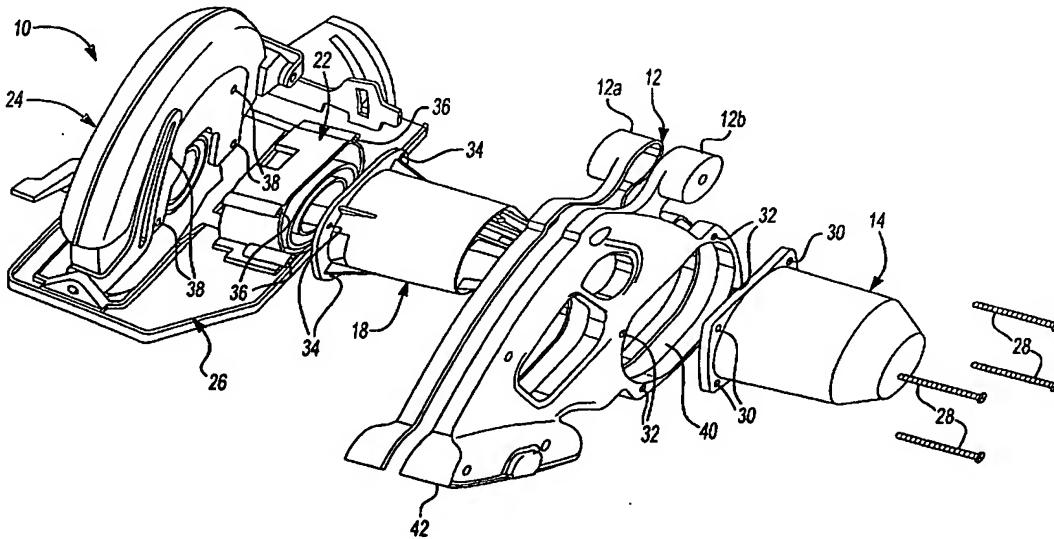
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(57) **Abstract:** A modular power tool (10) incorporates a modular drive system (14, 18, 22) and modular handle set (12) that is reversible for use with both a left and right hand configuration. The modular drive system (14, 18, 22) and handle set (12) of the modular power tool (10) of this invention reduces the need for derivative circular saw designs by introducing common components.